

Ladies and gentlemen!

I am in full support of the Videophone interoperability, access and right to it.

You may be aware that, for ever since the establishment of the Internal REvene Service, the deaf have been PAYING TAXES and, getting voirtually NEXT TO NOTHING in fulkl benefits of the Communications Act.

I can ask each of you to DISCARD your office phones and/or cell phones and, ATTEMPT TO LOVE WITHOUT IT.

You will get the idea of what I am referring to.

The Videophone has been a godsend to all deaf as well as the most recent electronic apparatuses such as T-Mobile Sidekick.

All in all, ladies and gentlemen. It would be a grave mistake to vote against the Videophone for Deaf. Your common sense I am hoping, will prevail in this decision. Show us what President Bush meant by "Kinder, gentler GOP".